

**Intellectual Property Law Group****Verizon Corporate Services Group Inc**

600 Hidden Ridge Drive
Irving, Texas 75038
MailCode HQE03H14
Phone: 972/718-4800
Fax: 972/718-3946
E mail:
christian.andersen@verizon.com

To: U.S. Patent and Trademark Office – From: Christian R. Andersen
MAIL STOP: AMENDMENT Sr. Paralegal – Intellectual Property
Examiner: R. A. AL AUBAIDI
Group Art Unit: 2642
Confirmation No.: 2892

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

APR 18 2005

Fax: 703-872-9306 Pages
with 19
Cover:

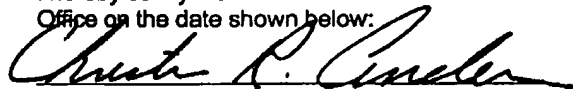
FORMAL SUBMISSION OF:

- 1) Amendment Transmittal;
- 2) Petition for One Month Extension of Time; and
- 3) Amendment In Response to Non-Final Office Action.

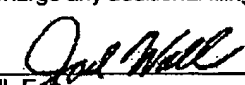
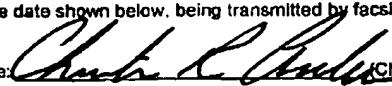
Title: METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR MEDIATING COMMON CHANNEL SIGNALING
MESSAGE BETWEEN NETWORKS USING CONTROL MESSAGE TEMPLATES
Serial No. 09/767,902
Filing Date: January 24, 2001
First Named Inventor: Arthur DOSKOW
Atty. No. 00-VE04.75A CIP

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that the above-referenced documents are facsimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below:

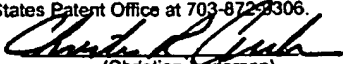

Christian R. Andersen

Date of Transmission: April 18, 2005

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER				Docket No. 00-VE04/75A CIP	
Application No. 09/767,902	Filing Date January 24, 2001	Examiner R.A. AL AUBAIDI	Art Unit 2642		
Applicant(s): Arthur DOSKOW et al					
Invention: METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR MEDIATING COMMON CHANNEL SIGNALING MESSAGE BETWEEN NETWORKS USING CONTROL MESSAGE TEMPLATES					
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate	
Total Claims	32	- 32 =	0	x 50	0.00
Independent Claims	2	- 2 =	0	x 200	0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:					0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Large Entity <input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for this amendment.					
<input type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.					
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. <u>07-2347</u> as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credit any overpayment.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.					
 _____ Joel Wall, Esq. Attorney for Applicant Registration No.: 25,648				Dated: <u>April 18, 2005</u>	
Verizon Corporate Services Group, Inc. c/o Christian Andersen 600 Hidden Ridge Drive, Mailcode HQE03H14 Irving, TX 75038 972-718-4800 CUSTOMER NO.: 32127					
<div style="text-align: center;">Amendment Transmittal</div> I hereby certify that this correspondence is, on the date shown below, being transmitted by facsimile to the United States Patent Office at 703-872-9306.					
Dated: April 18, 2005		Signature:  (Christian Andersen)			

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING/TRANSMISSION (37 CFR 1.8(a))

I hereby certify that this correspondence is, on the date shown below, being transmitted by facsimile to the United States Patent Office at 703-872-3306.

Dated: April 18, 2005 Signature: 

(Christian Andersen)

Docket No.: 00-VE04.75A CIP
(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Arthur Doskow et al.

Application No.: 09/767,902

Confirmation No.: 2892

Filed: January 24, 2001

Art Unit: 2642

For: METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR
MEDIATING COMMON CHANNEL
SIGNALING MESSAGE BETWEEN
NETWORKS USING CONTROL MESSAGE
TEMPLATES

Examiner: R. S. Al Aubaidi

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER
APR 18 2005

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated December 17, 2004, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.